

CLASSIFICATION ~~SECRET/CONTROL/US OFFICIALS ONLY~~COUNTRY Soviet Zone of Germany REPORTTOPIC Military Information from LeipzigEVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED DATE OF CONTENT DATE OBTAINED DATE PREPARED 12 October 1950REFERENCES PAGES 1 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) REMARKS

1. On 15 September 1950 the Flak Kaserne, Leipzig-Heiterblick, 50X1-HUM
 quartered about 300 troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets, some
 with tank, motor transport and artillery insignia. Two canvas-covered
 SP guns, five canvas-covered tanks and motor vehicles 50X1-HUM
 were seen in the billeting area. One section of the garage
 of the installation has been remodeled. A searchlight, directed toward 50X1-HUM
 the center of the installation, was on the roof of the garage.
2. The Flak Kaserne, Schoenau, was occupied by about 300 troops who wore red-
 bordered black epaulets, about 10 percent with artillery insignia. Some of
 the troops were recruits. Some soldiers wearing tank and signal insignia
 were seen. 50X1-HUM
3. The Hindenburg Kaserne on Danziger Strasse quartered about 300 troops, about
 95 percent of whom wore black-bordered red epaulets and five percent red-
 bordered black epaulets. The troops included recruits. Motor vehicles
 were observed in the billeting area. 50X1-HUM
4. The Train Kaserne on Olbrechtstrasse was occupied by about 300 troops whc 50X1-HUM
 wore black-bordered black and red-bordered black epaulets, some with motor
 transport insignia.
5. The MVD Kaserne on Viertelweg was occupied by about 500 troops wearing 50X1-HUM
 red-bordered green epaulets. Since the unit included a military band
 believed to be an MVD battalion. Motor vehicles
 were seen
 in the billeting area. *

* Comment. The report does not indicate any essential change 50X1-HUM
 In
 the Flak Kaserne, Heiterblick, where motor vehicles of the 8th Gds Mecz Div
 have so far been observed, motor vehicles belonging to headquarters units of
 the XXIX Gds Itz Rifle Corps were observed for the first time.
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